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LB 92 A, 623, 623 A, 725

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 92 A pass. Record your vote. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record your vote. Record. We've got to have thirty votes.

SENATOR GOODRICH: I'm sorry, Mr. President, but I have to ask for a roll call vote.

PRESIDENT: Call the roll.

CLERK: (Read roll call vote found on pages 1347 and 1348 of the Journal.) 30 ayes, 14 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE PRESIDING

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: LB 92 A passes. We will next take up, Mr. Clerk, LB 623. All right, both 623 and 623 A cannot be read, that's right, according to the motion. From here on out we'll have to... Senator Warner, if you will help the Chair in these matters and make sure that we do not take them up but those next two will not be taken up. All right then, Mr. Clerk, the next bill will be LB 725.

ASSISTANT CLARK: (Read LB 725 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: For what purpose do you arise, Senator Barnett?

SENATOR BARNETT: I've got a question of somebody and I think it's appropriate to take the answer and take it now before you start on that LB 725 and that's on 623 A. I know Senator Lamb wants to offer an amendment on 623 A as to the distribution of the funds. It doesn't have a thing to do with passing the bill and I think that if we're going to set these things back and delay anything that's got money on them if they have got non-money amendments they ought to be allowed to attempt to amend the thing. I don't want him to wait until the day we get ready for Final Reading again then have him turn around and try to amend it that day. I think that we should possibly take up these amendments if that's all right with Senator Warner.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Warner is nodding in agreement.

SENATOR BARNETT: You bet.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: But why don't we proceed with 725 and then come back and take up that particular motion, Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: All right.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, could I suggest that Senator Barnett brings up an excellent point, that perhaps we can just run a list of new bills up for Final Reading so that they can be taken up for amendment purposes if there are any. Certainly it would be ridiculous to hold up amendments. The intent is only not to pass them in final form.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: In other words up to the final form so that we're ready for the final action. So we'll proceed then, Mr. Clerk with the reading of LB 725 and we'll return then to the... All right. The Clerk is finished so it was time to stop. So

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